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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a reply to the Office Action dated January 24, 2008. A Petition for Extension of Time (two months) is submitted herewith. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

A listing of claims appear beginning at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks appear beginning at page 6 of this paper.